

1983 Assembly Bill 414

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AN ACT to repeal 117.035 (4); and to amend 117.035 (1) (a) of the statutes, relating to referenda concerning school district reorganizations.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 117.035 (1) (a) of the statutes, as affected by 1983 Wisconsin Act 27, is amended to read:

117.035 (1) (a) ~~Except as provided under sub. (4), if~~ if within 30 days after the date of mailing of an order of school district reorganization issued under s. 117.08, a petition requesting a referendum on the order and signed by a sufficient number of the electors of the territory included in the proposed reorganized school district is filed under par. (c), the order shall not become effective until it has been approved at the referendum by ~~both a majority of those electors voting at the referendum who reside within that portion of the proposed reorganized school district territory lying in cities and villages and by a majority of those electors voting at the referendum who reside within that portion of the proposed reorganized school district territory lying in towns~~ each affected school district by a majority vote of the electors within that school district. A sufficient number of petitioners is 500 of the electors who reside in the proposed reorganized school district, or 10% of ~~such~~ the electors who reside in ~~cities and villages or 10% of such electors who reside in towns~~ either of the school districts affected by the order. Upon their own motion at the time of issuing an order of school district reorganization under s. 117.08, the school boards may direct the holding of a referendum upon the order. By resolution adopted within 30 days after the order is mailed, the common council of any city affected

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by an order of school district reorganization issued under s. 117.08 may demand the holding of a referendum upon such order.

SECTION 3. 117.035 (4) of the statutes, as created by 1983 Wisconsin Act 27, is repealed.

SECTION 4. **Effective date.** This act takes effect on July 1, 1984.
